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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: DEBE, DEREK A. ET AL.
APPLICATION NO.: 10/652,866
FILED: AUGUST 29, 2003
FOR: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SORTING
PROTEIN SEQUENCES AND STRUCTURES
FOR VISUALIZATION**

EXAMINER: BORIN, MICHAEL L.
ART UNIT: 1631
CONF. NO: 1007

Transmittal of Amendment and Response

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:
 - ☒ Amendment and Response.
 - ☒ Petition for 3-Month Extension of Time.
2. Entity Status:
 - ☒ Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27) has been previously established.
3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

Applicants petition for an Extension of Time, if necessary, for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.

4. Fee Calculation and Payment:

For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	Small Entity			Other Than a Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee		Rate	Fee
Total Claims	13 – 20	0	x \$ 25 =	\$	or	x \$ 50 =	\$
Independent Claims	6 – 9	0	X \$100 =	\$	or	x \$200 =	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$180 =	\$	or	+ \$360 =	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Fee				\$510.00			\$
*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.			TOTAL	\$510.00	or	TOTAL	\$

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite fees in the amount of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-2586. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

5. Provisional Fee Authorization

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2586.

Respectfully submitted,

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